

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph on page 1, lines 8-17 with the following paragraph:

Pole saws of the above type are previously known but rather often such saws start to vibrate heavily when being used. This is due to the fact that the teeth of the chain get stuck in the material being cut. The vibrations are initiated when ~~When~~ sufficient amount of energy accumulates ~~then has been accumulated~~ in the elastic transmission system and the teeth ~~might~~ suddenly leave hold of the material after being stuck in the material ~~thereby initiating said vibrations~~. The vibration level can be influenced by many different factors such as the gear ratio between the drive engine and the chain drive, the torque and bending stiffness of the guide bar, the drive shaft, the oscillating mass of the engine and saw head, the position of the chain bar guide, the rotation direction of the engine and so on. Mostly these factors are difficult to change without creating other disadvantages.

Please add the following heading on page 1, before the paragraph beginning on line 31.

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS**